California, Mr. CAMPBELL, Mr. CAPPS, Mr. CARDIN, Ms. CARSON, Mrs. CLAYTON, CHAMBLISS, Mr CONDIT, Mr. COYNE, Mr. DAVIS of Virginia, Mr. DEAL of Georgia, Mr. DEFAZIO, Mr. DELLUMS, Mr. DINGELL, Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania, Ms. ESHOO, Mr. EVANS, Mr. FALEOMAVAEGA, Mr. FAZIO of California, Mr. FILNER, Mr. FLAKE, Mr. FOGLIETTA, Mr. FOLEY, Mr. FORBES, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mr. FRANKS of New Jersey, Mr. FRELING-HUYSEN, Mr. FROST, Mr. FOX of Pennsylvania, Mr. GALLEGLY, Mr. GILMAN, Mr. Gonzalez, Mr. Gutierrez, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Mr. HEFNER, Mr. HILLIARD, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. HORN, Mr. JACKSON, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island, Mrs. KENNELLY of Connecticut, Mr. KLUG, Mr. KOLBE, Mr. LAMPSON, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Ms. LOFGREN, Mrs. LOWEY, Mrs. MALONEY of New York, Mr. MARTINEZ, Mr. MASCARA, Mrs. McCarthy of New York, Mr. McDade, Ms. McKinney, Mrs. MEEK of Florida, Mr. MENENDEZ, Mr. MILLER of California, Mrs. MINK of Hawaii, Ms. Molinari, Mrs. MORELLA, Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts, Ms. NORTON, Mr. OBERSTAR, Mr. OLVER, Mr. OWENS, Mr. PALLONE, Mr. PASCRELL, Mr. PASTOR, Mr. PAYNE, Ms. PELOSI, Mr. PRICE of North Carolina, Ms. PRYCE of Ohio, Mr. QUINN, Mr. RAMSTAD, Mr. ROTH-MAN, Mr. SABO, Ms. SANCHEZ, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. SCHIFF, Mr. SERRANO, Mr. SHADEGG, Mr. SHAYS, Mr. SKAGGS, Mr. SKEEN, Mrs. TAUSCHER, Mr. THOMPSON, Mrs. THURMAN, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. TRAFICANT, Mr. UNDERWOOD, Mr. VENTO, Mr. WISE, Mr. YATES, Mr. BONIOR, Mr. HEFLEY, and Ms WOOLSEY):

1260. A bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to provide for the establishment of a program for research and training with respect to Parkinson's disease; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. NUSSLE (for himself and Mr. MINGE):

H.R. 1261. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to exclude certain farm rental income from net earnings from selfemployment if the taxpayer enters into a lease agreement relating to such income; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. OXLEY (for himself, Mr. BLI-LEY, Mr. MANTON, Mr. DINGELL, and Mr. MARKEY):

H.R. 1262. A bill to authorize appropriations for the Securities and Exchange Commission for fiscal years 1998 and 1999, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. PALLONE (for himself, Mrs. ROUKEMA, Ms. ESHOO, Ms. PELOSI, and Mr. McDermott):

H.R. 1263. A bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to provide access to health care insurance coverage for children and to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to increase the excise taxes on tobacco products for the purpose of offsetting the Federal budgetary costs associated such insurance coverage; to the Committee on Commerce, and in addition to the Committees on Ways and Means, and Education and the Workforce, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. SCHUMER:

H.R. 1264. A bill to amend title 18, United States Code, to prohibit gunrunning, and provide mandatory minimum penalties for

crimes related to gunrunning; to the Committee on the Judiciary, and in addition to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. SOLOMON:

H.R. 1265. A bill to assure appropriate disincentives to the illegal use of marijuana in those States where there is an exception for medicinal purposes to the prohibition against the use of marijuana by denying Federal benefits to persons convicted of certain drug offenses; to the Committee on Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on the Judiciary, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. STEARNS:

H.R. 1266. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to index the basis of certain assets for purposes of determining gain, to provide for the establishment of American Dream Savings Accounts, and to repeal the increase enacted in 1993 in taxes on Social Security benefits; to the Committee on Ways and Means

By Mr. YOUNG of Alaska:

H.R. 1267. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow a charitable contribution deduction for certain expenses incurred by whaling captains in support of Native Alaskan subsistence whaling; to the Committee on Ways and Means

By Mr. SMITH of New Jersey (for himself, Mr. PORTER, Mr. WOLF, Mr. SALMON, Mr. CHRISTENSEN, Mr. HOYER, Mr. MARKEY, and Mr. CARDIN).

H. Con. Res. 59. Concurrent resolution concerning the return of or compensation for wrongly confiscated foreign properties in formerly Communist countries and by certain foreign financial institutions; to the Committee on International Relations.

By Mr. MICA:

H. Res. 108. Resolution designating majority membership on certain standing committees of the House; considered and agreed to.

By Mr. PITTS (for himself, Mr. SAM JOHNSON, Mrs. KELLY, Mr. DOOLITTLE, Mr. PAUL, Mr. HERGER, Mr. SESSIONS, Mr. SHADEGG, and Mr. QUINN):

H. Res. 109. Resolution expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that American families deserve tax relief; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

## ¶29.16 ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

Under clause 4 of rule XXII, sponsors were added to public bills and resolutions as follows:

H.R. 14: Mr. DEAL of Georgia, Mr. PAPPAS, Mr. CHRISTENSEN, Mr. WEXLER, Mr. FRELING-HUYSEN, Mr. NETHERCUTT, Mr. ROYCE, Mr. LEACH, Mr. THORNBERRY, Mr. BARCIA of Michigan, Mr. McHugh, Mr. Dickey, Mr. Paul, Mr. Baker, Mr. CAMP, LATOURETTE, and Mr. PAXON.

H.R. 45: Mr. Bonior.

H.R. 58: Mr. Canady of Florida, Mr. Pappas, Mrs. Johnson of Connecticut, Mr. SHIMKUS, Mr. FOGLIETTA, Mr. SNOWBARGER, Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island, Mr. BENTSEN, Mr. CAPPS, Mr. GUTKNECHT, and Mr. GALLEGLY. H.R. 96: Mr. GALLEGLY, Mr. CASTLE, Ms.

NORTON, Mrs. THURMAN, and Mrs. NORTHUP.

H.R. 123: Mrs. Fowler. H.R. 145: Mr. Sanders, Mr. Kennedy of Rhode Island, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. KUCINICH, Mr. McGOVERN, Mr. ADAM SMITH of Washington, Mr. FOGLIETTA, Mr. HEFNER, Mrs. MINK of Hawaii, Mr. KILDEE, Mrs. MEEK of Florida, Mr. GORDON, and Mr. FORD.

H.R. 148: Mr. FATTAH.

H.R. 165: Mr. GONZALEZ.

H.R. 168: Mr. TALENT.

H.R. 210: Mr. LEWIS of Georgia. H.R. 218: Mr. FORBES and Mrs. THURMAN.

H.R. 324: Mr. BLAGOJEVICH.

H.R. 335: Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania, Mr. MCNULTY, and Mr. DAVIS of Virginia.

H.R. 338: Mr. Frelinghuysen.

H.R. 339: Mr. RILEY.

H.R. 345: Mr. HUTCHINSON.

H.R. 453: Mr. MARTINEZ, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. Borski, Mrs. Morella, Ms. Pelosi, and Mr. Goss.

H.R. 455: Mr. RUSH.

H.R. 456: Mr. MARTINEZ and Mr. RUSH.

H.R. 471: Mr. SHAYS and Mr. CAMPBELL.

H.R. 475: Mr. GRAHAM, Mr. McHUGH, and Mr. GILMAN.

H.R. 476: Mr. KIND of Wisconsin, Ms. KIL-PATRICK, Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. MARTINEZ, and Mr. WATT of North Carolina.

H.R. 538: Mr. CAPPS FALEOMAVAEGA.

H.R. 551: Mrs. Lowey.

H.R. 552: Mr. CONYERS and Mr. SHAYS.

H.R. 600: Mr. MOAKLEY.

H.R. 622: Mr. DUNCAN.

H.R. 623: Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania, Mr. WALSH, Mr. MASCARA, Mr. WISE, and Mrs. MALONEY of New York.

H.R. 633: Mr. KANJORSKI.

H.R. 638: Mr. PITTS.

H.R. 640: Mr. PAUL.

H.R. 641: Mr. HOSTETTLER.

H.R. 650: Mr. CRANE, Mr. LIPINSKI, Ms. KAP-TUR, Mr. HASTERT, and Mr. GONZALEZ.

H.R. 690: Mr. PAUL.

H.R. 722: Mr. DUNCAN, Mr. BONILLA, Mr. BROWN of Ohio, Mr. PETERSON of Pennsylvania, Mr. BRYANT, Mr. EHRLICH, Mr. BASS, Mr. HALL of Texas, and Mr. LUCAS of Okla-

H.R. 723: Mr. Bonilla, Mr. Cramer, Mr. HINOJOSA, Mr. MINGE, Mr. POMEROY, and Mr.

H.R. 774: Mrs. Morella, Mr. Defazio, Mr. CLYBURN, Mr. JEFFERSON, Mr. DELLUMS, and Mr. FALEOMAVAEGA.

H.R. 810: Mr. MARTINEZ, Mr. FARR of California, Mr. MEEHAN, and Ms. SANCHEZ.

H.R. 811: Mr. COBURN, Mr. SANDERS, and Mr. Snowbarger.

H.R. 849: Mr. PAPPAS and Mr. HASTERT. H.R. 879: Mr. PAYNE, Ms. FURSE, Mr. DEL-

LUMS, Mr. MARTINEZ, and Mrs. MINK of Hawaii. H.R. 880: Mr. McHugh, Mr. Buyer, Mr.

CLEMENT, Mr. NEY, Mr. DEAL of Georgia, Mr. HAMILTON, Mr. Snowbarger, CHRISTENSEN, Mr. ISTOOK, Mr. SKELTON, and Mr. Frost.

H.R. 885: Mr. WYNN and Mr. RAHALL.

H.R. 886: Mr. WYNN and Mr. RAHALL.

H.R. 887: Mr. WYNN and Mr. RAHALL.

H.R. 888: Mr. WYNN and Mr. RAHALL.

 $H.R.\ 901:$  Mr. Cook, Mr. Livingston, Mr. Hyde, Mr. Everett, Mr. Thornberry, Mr. Cooksey, Mr. Mica, Mr. Bishop, and Mrs. NORTHUP.

H.R. 902: Mr. GREENWOOD, Mr. EVERETT, Mr. LEWIS of California, Mr. RADANOVICH, Mr. SHIMKUS, Mrs. FOWLER, and Mr. MICA.

H.R. 911: Mr. STEARNS, Mr. DAN SCHAEFER of Colorado, Ms. GRANGER, Mr. SKAGGS, Mr. HULSHOF, and Mr. COMBEST.

H.R. 920: Ms. STABENOW.

H.R. 956: Mr. SOLOMON and Mr. BARTON of Texas.

H.R. 964: Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania, Mr. COOK, Ms. KILPATRICK, Mr. TAYLOR of North Carolina, Mrs. KELLY, Mr. SESSIONS, Mrs. NORTHUP, Mrs. Myrick, Mr. Coburn, Mr. BARTON of Texas, Mr. BOEHNER, and Mr. EHR-LICH.

H.R. 965: Mr. CRANE, Mr. SOLOMON, and Mr. CANNON.

H.R. 972: Mr. PAUL.

H.R. 978: Mr. MICA, Mr. YOUNG of Alaska, Mr. STRICKLAND, Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island, Mr. Cramer, Mr. Jackson, Mr. Ensign, Mr. Ney, Mr. Coburn, Mr. Blagojevich, Mr. Baldacci, and Mr. Deal of Georgia.

H.R. 991: Mr. MENENDEZ and Mr. LOBIONDO. H.R. 1002: Mr. KLECZKA, Mr. COYNE, Mrs. THURMAN, Mrs. MINK of Hawaii, Mr. MATSUI, and Mrs. ROUKEMA.

H.R. 1026: Mr. MALONEY of Connecticut, Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut, Mr. CANADY of Florida, Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania, Mr. CALLAHAN, Mr. BLILEY, and Mr. GRAHAM.

 $\mbox{H.R.}$  1054: Mr. MATSUI, Mr. OXLEY, Mr. GOODLATTE, Mr. CAPPS, Mr. HULSHOF, and Mr. BOUCHER.

H.R. 1077: Mr. MANZULLO, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mr. Peterson of Pennsylvania, and Mr. Weldon of Pennsylvania.

H.R. 1080: Mr. FRANKS of New Jersey and Mr. ROTHMAN.

H.R. 1090: Mrs. ROUKEMA.

H.R. 1092: Mrs. THURMAN

 $H.R.\ 1117;$  Mr. Price of North Carolina, Mrs. Maloney of New York, and Mr. Ramstad.

H.R. 1126: Mr. REYES.

H.R. 1130: Mr. FALEOMAVAEGA.

H.R. 1153: Mr. GRAHAM.

H.R. 1159: Mr. PAYNE, Mr. THOMPSON, Mr. REYES, and Mrs. McCarthy of New York.

H.R. 1203: Mr. SNOWBARGER, Mr. KINGSTON, Mr. McCollum, and Mr. Stearns.

H.R. 1226: Mr. BUNNING of Kentucky and Mrs. LINDA SMITH of Washington.

H.R. 1241: Mr. BENTSEN.

H.J. Res. 26: Mr. SHAYS and Mr. COLLINS.

H.J. Res. 54: Mr. MICA.

H. Con. Res. 10: Mrs. Johnson of Connecticut, Mr. Shays, Mr. Rush, Mr. Camp, Ms. Slaughter, and Mr. Bereuter.

H. Con. Res. 12; Mrs. LOWEY and Mr. LOBIONDO.

H. Con. Res. 13: Mr. WICKER, Mr. YATES, Ms. STABENOW, Mr. BROWN of Ohio, Mr. FORBES, Mr. PALLONE, Mr. STUMP, Mr. DIXON, Mr. BARR of Georgia, Mr. PASCRELL, Mr. COMBEST, Mr. BOYD, Mr. SNYDER, Mr. GIBBONS, Mr. DAVIS of Florida, Mr. ROTHMAN, Mr. SHAW, and Mr. LATOURETTE.

H. Con. Res. 44: Mr. LANTOS, Mrs. MALONEY of New York, Mr. EHLERS, and Mr. ABER-CROMBIE.

H. Con. Res. 52: Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota, Mrs. Carson, Mr. Schiff, Mr. Mascara, Mr. Leach, Mr. Hamilton, Mr. Frank of Massachusetts, Mr. Bereuter, Ms. Kaptur, and Mr. Fox of Pennsylvania.
H. Con. Res. 53: Mr. Gordon, Ms. Eddie

H. Con. Res. 53: Mr. GORDON, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, and Mr. ORTIZ.

H. Res. 21: Mr. BACHUS.

H. Res. 22: Mr. BORSKI, Mr. WEXLER, Mr. MANZULLO, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. LUTHER, Mr. GEJDENSON, Mr. BOUCHER, and Ms. DUNN of Washington.

H. Res. 83: Mr. LEACH and Mr. FATTAH.

## THURSDAY, APRIL 10, 1997 (30)

¶30.1 DESIGNATION OF SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The House was called to order by the SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. SMITH of Michigan, who laid before the House the following communication:

WASHINGTON, DC,

April 10, 1997.

I hereby designate the Honorable NICK SMITH to act as Speaker pro tempore on this day.

NEWT GINGRICH,

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

## $\P 30.2$ Approval of the journal

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. SMITH of Michigan, announced he had examined and approved the Journal of the proceedings of Wednesday, April 9, 1997

Pursuant to clause 1, rule I, the Journal was approved.

## ¶30.3 COMMUNICATIONS

Executive and other communications, pursuant to clause 2, rule XXIV, were referred as follows:

2680. A letter from the Congressional Review Coordinator, Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Change in Disease Status of The Netherlands Because of BSE [APHIS Docket No. 97–034–1] received April 10, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

2681. A letter from the Acting Executive Director, Commodity Futures Trading Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Commission Rules Relating to Investigations [17 CFR Part 11] received April 7, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

2682. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulatory Management and Information, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Glyphosate; Pesticide Tolerances [OPP-300469; FRL-5598-6] received April 8, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

2683. A letter from the Chairman and Chief Executive Officer, Farm Credit Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Organization and Functions; Privacy Act Regulations; Organization; Loan Policies and Operations; Funding and Fiscal Affairs, Loan Policies and Operations, and Funding Operations; General Provision; Definitions (RIN: 3052–AB61) received April 9, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

2684. A letter from the Under Secretary of Defense, transmitting a report of two violations of the Anti-Deficiency Act, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 1517(b); to the Committee on Appropriations

<sup>2</sup> 2685. A letter from the Chief, Programs and Legislation Division, Office of Legislative Liaison, Department of the Air Force, transmitting notification that the commander of Air Education and Training Command [AETC] has conducted a cost comparison to regionalize jet engine repair within AETC at Laughlin Air Force Base [AFB], TX, pursuant to 10 U.S.C. 2304 note; to the Committee on National Security.

2686. A letter from the Secretary of Housing and Urban Development, transmitting the results of the second annual comprehensive needs assessments; to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

2687. A letter from the Acting Assistant Secretary for Educational Research and Improvement, Department of Education, transmitting notice of Final Priority—Educational Research and Development Program, pursuant to 20 U.S.C. 1232(f); to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

2688. A letter from the Assistant Secretary, Office of Special Education and Rehabilitative Services, Department of Education, transmitting Final Priority—Research in Education of Individuals with Disabilities Program, pursuant to 20 U.S.C. 1232(f); to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

2689. A letter from the Assistant General Counsel for Regulations, Department of Education, transmitting the Department's report on Research in Education of Individuals with Disabilities Program, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(B); to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

2690. A letter from the Assistant General Counsel for Regulations, Department of Education, transmitting the Department's report on the Educational Research and Development Centers Program, pursuant to 5

U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(B); to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

2691. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulatory Management and Information, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Approval and Promulgation of State Implementation Plans: Oregon [OR-14-1-5535; FRL-5807-4] received April 8, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

2692. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulatory Management and Information, Environmental Protection Agency, transmiting the Agency's final rule—Approval and Promulgation Plans; Tennessee: Approval of Revisions to the Tennessee SIP Regarding Volatile Organic Compounds [TN-176-2-9708a; FRL-5806-7] received April 8, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

2693. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulatory Management and Information, Environmental Protection Agency, transmiting the Agency's final rule—Approval and Promulgation of Air Quality Implementation Plans; Reasonably Available Control Technology for Nitrogen Oxides for the State of New Hampshire [FRL-5801-1] received April 8, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

2694. A letter from the Managing Director, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Implementation of the Telecommunications Act of 1996: Telemessaging, Electronic Publishing, and Alarm Monitoring Services [CC Docket No. 96–152] received April 7, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

2695. A letter from the Secretary, Federal Trade Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Guides for the Jewelry, Precious Metals and Pewter Industries [16 CFR Part 23] received April 8, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

2696. A letter from the Director, Regulations Policy Management Staff, Office of Policy, Food and Drug Administration transmitting the Administration's final rule—Food Labeling: Nutrient Content Claims, Definition of Term: Healthy [Docket Nos. 96P-0500 and 91N-348H] (RIN: 0910-AA19) received April 7, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

2897. A letter from the Director, Office of Congressional Affairs, Nuclear Regulatory Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Access to and Protection Of Classified Information (RIN: 3150-AF37) received April 9, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

2698. A letter from the Director, Defense Security Assistance Agency, transmitting the Department of the Navy's proposed lease of defense articles to the Taipei Economic and Cultural Representative Office in the United States [TECRO] (Transmittal No. 03-97), pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2796a(a); to the Committee on International Relations.

2699. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting certification of a proposed license for the export of defense articles or defense services sold commercially to the Philippines (Transmittal No. DTC-50-97), pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2776(c); to the Committee on International Relations.

2700. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting certification of a proposed license for the export of defense articles or defense services sold commercially to Taiwan (Transmittal No. DTC-33-97), pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2776(c); to the Committee on International Relations.

2701. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting notification of a proposed man-